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C O N F I D E N T I A L CAIRO 11848

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: EG, IS, UN  
SUBJECT: UNEF BRIEFING FOR CODEL HAMILTON

1. FOLLOWING 30-MINUTE FORMAL UNEF BRIEFING FOR CODEL HAMILTON ON JULY 12, CONGRESSMAN HAMILTON TOLD UNEF COMMANDER GENERAL RAIS ABIN THAT CODEL'S MAIN INTEREST WAS VIOLATIONS AND ASKED FOR BRIEFING ON VIOLATIONS OVER PAST YEAR.

2. GENERAL ABIN SAID THAT EITHER PARTY CAN REQUEST UNEF INSPECTION OF OTHER SIDE AND IT MUST BE HELD WITHIN 24 HOURS OF REQUEST. THIS IS IN ADDITION TO UNEF INSPECTION IN LIMITED FORCES AREAS AND MISSILE RESTRICTED ZONES EVERY TWO WEEKS. WITHIN PAST YEAR ISRAELIS HAVE REQUESTED FOUR SPECIAL INSPECTIONS, ALL OF WHICH WERE CARRIED OUT. DURING PAST YEAR, GENERAL ABIN SAID, THERE HAVE BEEN MANY MINOR VIOLATIONS ON BOTH SIDES INVOLVING SINGLE VEHICLES, PATROLS OR AIRCRAFT. THERE HAVE NOT BEEN MORE THAN 5 OR 6 MORE SERIOUS VIOLATIONS, MAINLY ON THE EGYPTIAN SIDE AND USUALLY INVOLVING EXCESS  
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NUMBER OF TROOPS IN AREA OF LIMITED FORCES. HE WAS CONVINCED THAT NONE OF THESE VIOLATIONS WAS "ORCHESTRATED." ON EACH OCCASION WHEN VIOLATIONS WERE DISCOVERED, EITHER AS RESULT OF SPECIAL OR REGULAR INSPECTION, THEY WERE IMMEDIATELY REPORTED TO GENERAL GAMASY AND EGYPTIANS HAD TAKEN CORRECTIVE ACTION. ABDIN ADDED THAT ON THAT DAY (JULY 12) GAMASY HAD ASSURED HIM THAT THERE WOULD

BE NO EXCESS NUMBER OF TROOPS IN LIMITED FORCES AREA  
BEFORE GENEVA. ISRAELI VIOLATIONS, ABDIN SAID, HAVE BEEN  
MAINLY AIRCRAFT INCURSIONS.

3. DEPARTMENT PLEASE PASS THIS MESSAGE FOR POSSIBLE COMMENT  
TO CODEL HAMILTON.  
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